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1. Between 7 and 22 July 1950 an average of about 350 soldiers going on furlough left Frankfurt/Oder daily (O 53/V 63) for Brest Litovsk, and each day about 700 soldiers returning from furlough arrived from Brest Litovsk. (1)

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2. On 31 July, routine activities were observed at the Luetzendorf Kaserne II, the Mueller Kaserne and in the Nora suburb of Weimar (M 51/I 57).

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3. On 30 July 1950 the situation at the Frankfurt/Oder military post was the same as was previously observed.

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4. Fifty-three T-34 tanks were unloaded at the Meinsdorf railroad station between 20 and 29 July 1950.

5. Three hundred and fifty troops wearing black-bordered black epaulets were unloaded at the Rosslau freight station on 25 July 1950 and marched to the Semendria Kaserne.

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6. the Rohr Kaserne in Rosslau-Meinsdorf, 800 new troops arrived on 27 July 1950.

7. On 29 July 1950 600 new troops arrived at the engineer school in Rosslau-Meinsdorf.

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8. were observed for the first time in Rosslau-Meinsdorf. (4)

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Comments.

(1) in early July a daily average of 500 troops leaving for the U.S.S.R. and 1,000 troops returning.

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- [redacted] tanks, trucks and troops were loaded on trains for Frankfurt/
Oder at Lieberose, the area in which the 7th Gds Mecz Div held its field exer-
cises. [redacted]
- (4) The troops that were unloaded were probably recruits. The 53 tanks unloaded
possibly arrived from the Werder-Markendorf troop training grounds.

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